

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventors: SCHMITT et al.

Title: Method and System of Identifying Biologically Active Molecules

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application before a first office action on the merits as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Before the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 8, insert the heading:  
BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION.

Before the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 12, insert the heading:  
SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION.

Before the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 17, insert the heading:  
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS.

Before the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 1, insert the heading:  
DETAILED DESCRIPTION.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

On page 14, before claim 1, replace the heading with --WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:--

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ADDENDUM SHOWING CHANGES TO THE SPECIFICATION AND CLAIMS

IN THE CLAIMS

On page 14, before claim 1, WHAT IS CLAIMED IS: **Claims**.